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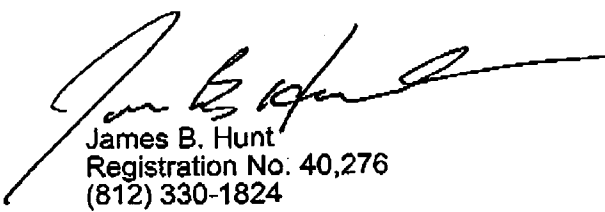
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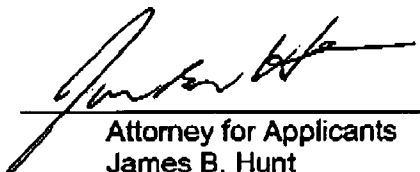
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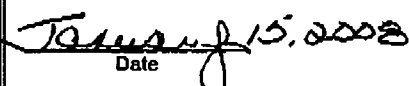
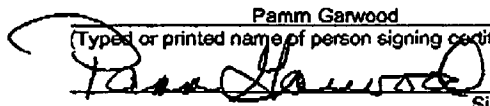
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In response to the Final Office Action dated December 31, 2007, please amend the claims and consider the remarks as follows:

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